

## Superior Court of California

COUNTY OF VENTURA
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## COURT SEEKING GRAND JURY NOMINATIONS

Court Executive Officer Michael D. Planet announced today that the Ventura Superior Court is actively seeking nominations for the 2006-2007 Grand Jury.

To be considered for nomination to the Grand Jury, you must be a citizen of the United States, be 18 years of age or older, be in possession of your natural faculties, of ordinary intelligence, of sound judgment and of good character, have been a resident of Ventura County for at least one year and have never been convicted of a felony or malfeasance in office.

Some of the principle functions of the Grand Jury include investigating the various departments, special districts of county and city government; involvement in fiscal or management audits; and the preparation of reports on related matters.

Service on the Grand Jury is for a period of one year commencing July 1 through June 30, and usually involves 32 to 40 hours per week.

Citizens interested in obtaining more information or an application should contact Jury Services at (805) 654-5025 during regular business hours or visit the Grand Jury website at <a href="http://grandjury.countyofventura.org">http://grandjury.countyofventura.org</a>. The deadline for submitting an application is Friday, April 14, 2006.